Page 1 of 2 FILED Clerk **District Court** MAY - 4 2007 1 For The Northern Mariana Islands 2 (Deputy Clerk) 3 4 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS 5 6 ROBERT D. BRADSHAW, Case No. CV-05-0027 7 Plaintiff, ORDER AND NOTICE 8 RE: SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE VS. 9 COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN 10 MARIANA ISLANDS, et. al., 11 Defendants. 12 13 THE COURT has received defendants Nicole C. Forelli, William C. Bush, D. Douglas 14 Cotton, L. David Sosebee, Andrew Clayton, and Pamela S. Brown's notification that they will not personally attend the status / settlement conference that is currently scheduled for May 9, 2007, at 15 16 8:00 a.m. The court notes that this status / settlement conference has been scheduled since January 17 22, 2007. See Case Management Scheduling Order, No. 238 (Jan. 22, 2007). On May 2, 2007, the court issued an order compelling all parties and their representative 18 with full authority to participate in settlement negotiations and to effect a complete compromise of 19 the case to personally attend the settlement conference of May 9, 2007, at 8:00 a.m., and that 20 telephonic attendance will not be allowed. See Order Denying Motion to Appear Telephonically and 21 Compelling Attendance At Settlement Conference, No. 290 (May 3, 2007). 22 // 23 // 24 25 26

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 The parties are reminded that failing to appear at the settlement conference may result in sanctions, including the dismissal of the complaint and / or the striking of the answer.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 4th day of May, 2007.

ALEX R. MUNSON

U.S. District Court Chief Judge